

Ironmen Rugby Action

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Ironmen drop 6-4 decision to exiles

UNB Khoury division Ironmen came up on the short side of a 6-4 decision against the Fredericton Exiles. The game was hotly contested until the final whistle blew. The exiles struck first by scoring a try and then kicking for the conversion, making the score 6-0 early in the second half. UNB's Mike Arthur culminated a nice play by bulling into the try zone for UNB's lone try; the conversion attempt was deemed unsuccessful.

Bad weather hampered both teams, as college field resembled a flood zone more than it did a rugby pitch. UNB can be pleased with the play of newcomer Patrick O'Reilly on the wing as well as welcoming back Dave Demers from a one year sabbatical at his mountain retreat in B.C. Bill Robson can be complimented on a

strong game defensively as well as UNB's pack who played aggressively throughout the match.

Ironmen "B" side humbles Gagetown

In the first meeting between these two Cass Division teams, the UNB "B" side Ironmen crushed the larger and more experienced CFB Gagetown Tankards by a score of 23-0.

The game was not five minutes old when Chuck Proudfoot burst down the right sideline from his wiry position to score the team's first try of the season. Chuck followed upon his try by kicking the conversion, putting the score at 6-0 for UNB.

Speed and conditioning were the keys for the Ironmen and kept the Tankards at bay throughout the match. Late in the first half, Patrick O'Reilly scored his first of two tries of the game.

The Ironmen continued to dominate through the second half. The larger Gagetown pack was pushed

about at will by the smaller but more disciplined UNB side. Midway through the half, Patrick O'Reilly scored again with strong support from the team. Harold Monroe followed closely by scoring his first try from his new position as flank forward. Chuck Proudfoot converted again on the second try and added a penalty kick to bring the final score to 23-0.

The weekend before, the team suffered their first defeat in P.E.I. The Charlottetown Abbies, formerly of the Khoury A division, won the match 10-6. UNB's only points were two penalty kicks by Chuck Proudfoot.

"SCRUM DRUM". . . The Ironmen placed six players on the New Brunswick provincial team who will travel to P.E.I. this weekend for the Atlantic Championships. The players are, Mike Arthur as flanker, Dave Demers as inside center, Rob McGurk as outside centre, Blake Meldrum as prop, Bill Robson as fullback and Ian Smith as flanker. Trevor Bishop, who played for UNB

in past years, is playing the team's scrum half. Should New Brunswick win, they will travel to Montreal for the Eastern Canadian Rugby finals during the Thanksgiving weekend. . . This week's action sees UNB playing an exhibition game against the British Army's Royal Engineers at CFB Gagetown Wednesday September 23rd at 6:00 p.m. . . The "B" side plays the Loyalists on Saturday September 26th at 2:00 at the Raceway. . . On Sunday September 27th the "A" team will host the Calgary Rams in an exhibition game at 2:00 p.m. at College Field. Fan

support is always welcomed and needed . . . There is no evidence to support the rumour that Dave Demers' mountain retreat was a mushroom farm as he has been seen attending classes regularly. . . The New Brunswick Rugby Union officials will neither substantiate nor deny the rumoured sex-change that T. Gibbons underwent during the summer. His lack of attendance at practice has added substance to this rumour . . . Many of the UNB Old Boys will be in town this weekend with the Calgary Rams looking up old friends. BEWARE.

Women's Soccer Club

This is the formation year for the UNB women's soccer club. The purpose of the club shall be to offer a program whereby individuals will be involved in

soccer to promote physical fitness and social contact. The club will emphasize involving as many individuals as possible in participating regularly, with instruction for novice

through advanced players. Intra-club competitions and audio-visual presentations will help to develop novice players. We will begin this fall with a clinic and a weekend tournament for anyone interested. Next year competitions with other university club teams may be arranged to continue the advancement of the level of this sport.

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